



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:  
MEADE, et al.

Serial No. 09/306,749  
Filing Date: May 7, 1999

For:  
**NUCLEIC ACID MEDIATED  
ELECTRON TRANSFER**

Art Unit: 1655  
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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

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Transmitted herewith are the following:

- (1) Reply to Office Action; Exhibit A
- (2) Petition for Extension of Time; extension fee check of \$390.00
- (3) Terminal Disclaimer; fee of \$110.00
- (4) 8 pages of formal drawings

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment in the enclosed fees to Deposit Account 06-1300 (Order No. A-58762-9).

Respectfully submitted,  
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**SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

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Transmitted herewith are eight (8) sheets of formal drawings to replace the informal drawings filed with this application.

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